



## Moldova: Eleventh refugee coordination forum meeting minutes

Meetings	
Date	06 June 2022 - Next meeting on 20 June 2022
Time	13.30 pm
Chair	Diego Nardi, Inter-Agency Coordination Officer
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Agenda	
<b>1. Protection Monitoring/Profiling update</b> Actualizarea monitorizării protecției/profilării	
<b>2. Contingency Plan Update</b> Actualizarea planului de urgență	
<b>3. Ombudsman Report on the Refugee Response</b> Raportul Ombudsmanului cu privire la răspunsul refugiaților	
<b>4. MHPSS in Emergency</b> Sănătate mintală și sprijin psihosocial în situații de urgență	
<b>5. VOICE Ukraine Crisis Report</b> VOICE: Raportul de criză din Ucraina	
<b>6. AOB</b>	
Information collection and links	
Please use the below link to fill out information 5W (Please note to fill only one entry per activity per location) <a href="https://bit.ly/36BYfFs">https://bit.ly/36BYfFs</a> Moldova Assessment Registry. <a href="https://bit.ly/37Ug0jG">https://bit.ly/37Ug0jG</a> Link to operational data portal: <a href="https://data2.unhcr.org/en/situations/ukraine/location/10784">https://data2.unhcr.org/en/situations/ukraine/location/10784</a>	
Participants	



Colleen Roberts – UNHCR/GBV SWG	Katja Kotkavaara – IFRC	Michele Livoni, DRC	Henia Dakkak-UNFPA
Chris Lomas – Hope4	Sharifa Abdulaziz - GBViE Specialist VOICE	Agnes Billot - NRC	Serge Gruel – Solidates International
Marc Ibarra – French Embassy	Virgiliu Hangan - NGO Partnerships for every child	Beza Gebremariam - U.S. Embassy, PRM	Mohammad Almjadleh-UNICEF
Simona Ruznic – Terres de Hommes NL	Rafaelle Robelin - IOM - Emergency Coordinator	Yurii Arnautov – UNHCR	Julie Verburg - ACTED
Merve Renan Türkkulu – Turkish Red Crescent	Tomas Durana - People in Need	Lajos Karakas – EUBAM	Nicholas Crawford - UK/FCDO
Lisa Scharinger – OXFAM	Jan BONHOTE – IOM	Ludmila Malcoci - Keystone Moldova	Daniele Pedretti – IsraAid
Domenico di Nuzzo – Plan International	Lidiia Kasianchuk – WHO	Kristin Schmitz - PSEA Coordinator, UNHCR	Monroe Lacerte and Yas Colijn - Plan International
Edward Beswick - REACH	Ala Nosatii_ CCF Moldova	Ludmila Cioca - Keystone Moldova	Nargiz Guliyeva – UNDP
Ersilia Apreda – IOM	Damla Demirel - Action Against Hunger	Victor Morari - The Ombudsman’s Office	Iachimov Natalia - ILO
Mahdi Jaafar - Humanity and Inclusion	Evghenia Hiora - UN Women	Alice Castillejo - CLEAR Global	Irene Scott – Internews
	Ioana Creitaru – UNDP	Eda Onde – UNHCR	Irina Roibu – UNHCR
	Richelle Haines – UNHCR	Natalia Sorbala - DORCAS Moldova	Arzum Karasu - Action Against Hunger

### Summary of discussions and agreements/ action items

Agenda	Discussion	Agreements/ Actions
<p><b>Protection Monitoring/Profiling Update</b></p> <p>Yurii Arnautov, IM officer, UNHCR</p>	<p>To strengthen and promote evidence-based Protection Strategy and Response, UNHCR is conducting the Protection Monitoring and Profiling exercise in partnership with Law Center of Advocates (LCA), InterSOS, and REACH.</p> <p>Through regular data collection and analysis, humanitarian and development actors supporting refugees and affected host communities in Moldova can better understand refugees’ profile, needs and risks in Moldova. Interviews are conducted at refugee accommodation centers (RACs), border crossing points, and transportation hubs, and will soon be expanded to other sites where refugees settle and access services.</p> <p>Two information management products are expected</p>	<p>Yurii Arnautov <a href="mailto:arnautov@unhcr.org">arnautov@unhcr.org</a></p>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Dashboard on protection monitoring – will be updated every 2 weeks</li><li>- Protection Monitoring in depth report</li></ul> <p><u>Key figures and findings</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Information gathering started early may. The surveys are applied to new individuals every time.</li><li>- Majority of respondents are women (75%), in line with the current trends.</li><li>- 23% of respondents have between 18-34 years old. 30% have between 35-49.</li><li>- Data is not gathered for children below 14 years. For children above this age, parental authorization is requested and mandatory before gathering data.</li><li>- CASH and Shelter are the main needs and preferred type of assistance.</li><li>- Persons prefer receiving information over the phone, and they main information need is CASH assistance.</li></ul>	
<b>Contingency Plan Update</b>	<p>It is informed that the interagency contingency workshop was held on 3 June 202. 40 participants from 16 agencies and a representative from the Joint Crisis Management Centre worked on the contingency activity mapping. The objectives of this works shop were to (a) analyze the actual operational capacity of sector members to ensure complementarity, avoid duplication and coherence, and (b) identify gaps in the process and activities and come up with an action plan. We finalized compiling the information and sharing with the participants for their review. As for the next steps:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- There will be a contingency Exercise with the Joint Crisis Management Centre</li><li>- A joint review together with the agencies</li><li>- Feedback to Refugee Coordination Forum and Sectors about the final contingency document.</li></ul>	
<b>Ombudsman Report on the Refugee Response</b>	<p>The Ombudsman drafted a report on the monitoring of respect for the rights of foreigners in Ukraine in the context of the state of emergency for the period 25 February - 30 April 2022. The report is already published on the website of the</p>	<p>The full report can be found in the following link: <a href="#">Ombudsman report</a></p>



Carolina Cazaciuc	<p>Ombudsman. However, some of the main findings of the monitoring are the following:</p> <p>The full report will be translated to ENG and will be available in some weeks.</p>	
<b>MHPSS in Emergency Settings</b>  Lidiia Kasianchuk, WHO	<p><b>MHPSS IN UKRAINE REFUGEE RESPONSE (more information can be found in the shared presentation)</b></p>	<p>Lidiia Kasianchuk, - WHO MHPSS focal point + MTRG (Moldova Technical Reference Group) -MHPSS lead</p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:kasianchukl@who.int">kasianchukl@who.int</a></p>
<b>VOICE report</b>  Sharifa, GBV specialist, VOICE	<p>Presentation on the Report “WAITING FOR THE SKY TO CLOSE: The Unprecedented Crisis Facing Women and Girls Fleeing Ukraine” (more information can be found in the shared presentation)</p> <p>The FULL REPORT can be found at: <a href="https://voiceamplified.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/MOLDOVA_REPORT.pdf">https://voiceamplified.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/MOLDOVA_REPORT.pdf</a></p>	<p>If you have bilateral questions about the report please contact, Sharifa Abdulaziz, at: <a href="mailto:Sharifa@voiceamplified.org">Sharifa@voiceamplified.org</a></p>
<b>Gender Mainstreaming Checklist</b>	<p><b>Gender Mainstreaming for Refugee Response Checklists</b> final version was shared by the Gender Task Force. The list has been aligned with the RCF structure in Moldova and it is expected that all Working Groups/Sub Working Groups/Task forces will use this tool.</p>	<p>For more information, please write to Evghenia Hiora: <a href="mailto:Evghenia.hiora@unwomen.org">Evghenia.hiora@unwomen.org</a></p>